IN THE SPECIFICATION

Please delete the title and substitute therefore –Nucleotide Sequences Affecting Plant Male Fertility and Methods of Using Same--

At page 5, line 17 after "genomic SBMu200 sequence" please insert –SEQ ID NO: 7) and after "cDNA of SBMu200" please insert –SEQ ID NO: 1)—

Please delete the abstract and substitute therefore – A nucleic acid is provided that affects plant male fertility. Vectors, plant cells and plants comprising the sequence and methods of using same are described.--